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COUNCIL ON VIETNAMESE STUDIES

Joseph J. Zasloff, Chairman

Meeting Announcement and Invitation

You are cordially invited to participate in a meeting sponsored by the SEADAG Council on Vietnamese Studies on the topic, "Problems in Vietnam During a Period of Declining U.S. Military Presence." Professor Joseph J. Zasloff, the Council Chairman, will preside. The meeting will be held at Asia House, 112 East 64th Street, New York, beginning at 9:30 A.M. on February 13, 1970. The agenda and invitation list are enclosed herewith.

Reservations will be made for participants at the Belmont Plaza Hotel, 49th and Lexington Avenue, at a rate of \$17.00 plus tax per night, on request up to February 4. Non-government participants coming from points more than 25 miles from New York will be reimbursed for travel expenses in accordance with the enclosed rules. Please return the enclosed reply form at your earliest convenience.

We hope you can attend this meeting.

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Rules Governing Reimbursement of Meeting Participants

Eligibility

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Inter-City Transportation

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Reimbursement will be made for the cost of taxis and other local transportation between (1) office or home and airport or station, (2) point of arrival and place of lodging or meeting, and (3) place of lodging and place of meeting; in both directions.

Living Costs

Participants will be reimbursed for actual expenses, as itemized on the reimbursement voucher, up to \$30 per 24-hour day (pro-rated for periods less than 24 hours) for the duration of the meeting and necessary travel time. If hotel reservations are made for a participant at his request beyond the time necessary for attendance at a meeting; this does not imply authorization of expenses as reimbursable beyond the above-mentioned period, and theoretical travel times must be used in computing reimbursement eligibility. Persons requesting hotel reservations are responsible for any cost of guaranteeing these reservations whether or not the accommodations are used.

Submission of Voucher

Reimbursement vouchers should be submitted to SEADAG, The Asia Society, 112 East 64th Street, New York, New York 10021. Vouchers must be signed and accompanied by hotel and air travel receipts and other receipts which are customarily given for claimed expenses. The air ticket stub must be submitted even if the ticket was supplied by The Asia Society and no reimbursement for this expense is claimed.

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Agenda

9:30 A.M.	Introduction by Chairman Joseph J. Zasloff.
10:30 A.M.	Ambassador William H. Sullivan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs:
	"Vietnam and United States Policy: A Current Appraisal."
12:00 P.M.	Lunch (Participants to make their own arrangements.)
1:30 P.M.	CVS Research and Business:
	Ithiel de Sola Pool: "SEADAG Research Possibilities in Vietnam."
	Allan E. Goodman: "The Vietnamese House of Representatives."
	Other Reports and Comments
3:45 P.M.	The Hon. Leland Barrows, Research Analysis Corporation (Director, United States Economic Mission to Vietnam, 1954-58.):
	"Vietnam's External Resource Needs During the Next Five Years."
5:30 P.M.	Adjournment

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